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Dear Dr. Gray:

Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center (BIDMC) is recruiting a clinically oriented leader in cancer care to become the first Clinical Director of the Cancer Center. This individual will be responsible for refining and executing BIDMC's long-term cancer service line strategy and directing the clinical and operational services of the Cancer Center.

The Clinical Director will insure the achievement of goals in clinical quality, service, safety, financial performance and volume across all cancer programs. The Clinical Director will oversee resource allocation and hiring related to cancer care. Working with the leadership in basic cancer research at BIDMC and with other members of the Dana Farber/Harvard Cancer Center, the candidate will advance new approaches to personalized cancer treatment and work with other leaders of the Cancer Center to assure that the Center maintains and develops its already strong translational and clinical research program.

The successful applicant will possess the skills and abilities to successfully manage a challenging set of responsibilities including: demonstrated administrative experience organizing and directing a clinical program that has a track record of superb quality, customer service and growth; qualified for a Harvard Medical School appointment at the Associate Professor or Professor rank to be made through the appropriate BIDMC department; substantial experience with clinical trials and with innovations in oncology clinical care; superb collaboration skills and exceptional ability to build connections within and outside the institution. We are especially interested in the names of any women or minority candidates who might be considered.

BIDMC, a 620-bed tertiary and quaternary care hospital, is one of the major teaching hospitals of Harvard Medical School and a founding member of the NCI-designated Dana Farber/Harvard Cancer Center (DF/HCC).

Letters of application or nomination and a current curriculum vitae should be sent to me at the address shown above and the CV sent via email to Mary Ann Murphy at [mamurphy@bidmc.harvard.edu](mailto:mamurphy@bidmc.harvard.edu).

Sincerely,

Mark L. Zeidel, M.D.